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Response

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Letter mailed 2004 Apr 07, please take into consideration the following:

REMARKS – General

The Rejection of Claims Under § 103(a)

The claims were rejected as being unpatentable over Ruppert et al (US 5,640,002) in view of Suzuki (US 6,129,274) on the basis of obviousness.